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In re the Application of:) Customer No. 27717
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Serial No. 09/824,621) Art Unit: 3714
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For: Method and Apparatus for Controlling)
Access to Areas of Gaming Machines)
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO JANUARY 28, 2010 OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This amendment is in response to the January 28, 2010 office action mailed by
the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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